of the Municipality and also for the withdrawal of such money therefrom, as may be specified in the law.

The Bill also provides for setting up of a Finance Commission in every State within one year from the commencement of the Constitution (Seventy Third Amendment) Act, 1991 and thereafter at the expiration of every fifth year to review the financial position of the Municipalities and to recommend the principles for:

(i) the distribution between the State and the Municipalities of the net proceeds of the taxes, duties, tolls and fee leviable by the State, which may be divided between them under this party and the allocation between the Municipality at all levels of their respective skier of such proceeds;

(ii) the determination of the taxes, duties tolls and fees which may be assigned to, or appropriated by the Municipalities.

(iii) the grants-in-aid to the Municipalities from the Consolidate Fund of the State;

(iv) any other matter referred to the Finance Commission by the Governor in the interests of sound finance of the Municipalities.

**World Bank Assistance for Drainage System in Hyderabad**

4439. SHRI DHARMABHIKSHAM: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Andhra Pradesh sought World Bank assistance for modernising the drainage system in Hyderabad; and

(b) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) No, Sir, However, under the ongoing World Bank aided Hyderabad Water Supply and Sanitation Project, there is a component for rehabilitation and strengthening of the existing seweage system at a cost of Rs. 66.68 crores.

(b) Does not arise.

**Allocation to Bihar Under Gadgil Formula**

4440. SHRI GEORGE FERNANDES:Will the Minister of PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the modified Godgil formula for plan allocation to States has resulted in one of the lowest per capital investments in Bihar; and

(b) if so, the facts thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PLANNING AND PROGRAMME IMPLEMENTATION (SHRI H.R. BHARDWAJ): (a) and (b). No, Sir. Under modified Gadgil Formula, backward States including Bihar, got favourable treatment as the formulae included the criteria of population, per capita income and special problems which together accounted for 90 to 95% weightage out of the total . Among non-special category States, per capita assistance allocated to the State of Bihar during 1990-91 and 1991-92 was higher than nine State out of fifteen States as may be seen from Statement I attached. Furthermore the State of Bihar among non-special